

RUSH COUNTY  
IS ADMITTED

Taken Into Eastern Indiana Fair Circuit at Meeting Held in Muncie Last Night.

## SHELBYVILLE, NEW MEMBER

Will Strengthen Fairs as Exhibitors and Racing Men Will be Assured Longer Engagements.

The eastern Indiana fair circuit at a meeting held in Muncie last evening in the office of Charles H. Anthony, the president, decided to admit to the circuit the Rushville, Shelbyville and Poneto fair association. The last named place as yet has only a race track, but proposes to establish a fair ground about it.

All members of the original circuit were represented. William L. King, secretary of the Rushville association and E. W. McDaniel of Shelbyville, secretary of that town's fair association, made formal applications for entry. Poneto, which is a small town in Wells county, was represented by three men, who were told that Poneto would be admitted on making a satisfactory representation, which was promised.

It is believed that these additions will greatly strengthen the Eastern Indiana Fair Association, as stock exhibitors and racing stables will be assured of continuous engagements. The fairs will open in July at Marion, Ind., and will close in September at Shelbyville just before the State fair, allowing entries in the Shelbyville meeting sufficient time in which to complete their several weeks of exhibition at the Indianapolis fair.

The circuit elected the following officers to serve the ensuing year: President, Charles H. Anthony, re-elected; secretary, F. A. Weishart of Middleton, re-elected. Other officers will be chosen later. The second meeting of the circuit will be held in Muncie, March 12, at which time the racing program and all classes for exhibits will be perfected.

An innovation was the decision that in the future the purse in no class harness race shall be less than \$300. No restriction as to purses over that amount were made. It was also decided that three-year-old colt races for both trotters and pacers should be held at each meeting. The circuit decided to cut out the expensive stake races, which have cost much more money than they have brought in in recent years. Instead of the stake races the circuit will establish uniform classes for all races.

The dates were agreed upon for the 1912 fairs: Marion, July 23 to 26; Montpelier, July 30 to August 2; Warren, July 30 to August 2; Muncie, August 6 to 9; New Castle, August 13 to 16; Fairmount, August 13 to 16; Rushville August 20 to 23; Shelbyville, August 27 to 30; Portland, August 27 to 30; Poneto, date yet to be determined. The Indiana State fair will be held September 2 to 6.

## MEETS IN A WEEK.

The "committee of one hundred" will meet at a luncheon to be given in the Main Street Christian church basement one week from today at noon to hear something about the organization of the Men and Religion Forward Movement. Indianapolis men may talk.

They are now building in this country beautiful bungalows of terra cotta hollow tiles, the exterior surface finished with stucco cement. Such walls are not only fireproof, but what is equally desirable, they are dampproof. Neither are they any more expensive than the common burnable material.

## SAM WEBB IN FOR 20 DAYS

Fined by Mayor Black in Police Court Yesterday.

Sam Webb, who was arrested last Friday for public intoxication, was fined \$10 and costs yesterday afternoon by Mayor Black. Webb was unable to pay and will spend twenty days in jail.

Riley Nebro pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness this morning and was fined one dollar and costs. His fine was stayed. Nebro was arrested last evening by Chief McAllister.

FIRE THREATENS  
TO DO DAMAGE

Blaze Breaks Out in Lewisville Drug Store—Caused From a Defective Flue.

## FIRE COMPANY'S GOOD WORK

A small blaze in the Wills drug store in Lewisville yesterday for a time threatened the business part of that place. A defective flue in the building caused the fire. The structure is an old frame one and very quick work was necessary to keep the blaze under control. The fire department, however, soon had the fire extinguished.

There was little damage done outside the burning of a hole in the roof, as about everything in the neighborhood of the blaze was removed before much water was thrown.

OUT FOR DISTRICT  
CHAIRMANSHIP

Former Sheriff of Wayne County is First Avowed Candidate For Republican Honors in Sixth.

## EXPECTS HIS COUNTY SOLID

Linus P. Meredith of this city, former county sheriff, is a candidate for the position of Republican chairman of the Sixth congressional district, says the Richmond Item. Meredith is a Republican of life-long standing and always has been an ardent supporter of the party. It is expected that he will have the solid support of the Wayne county delegation and this will be a large factor in obtaining control. Meredith says he does not represent any clique or faction in the party, but stands for the success of all Republican candidates. It is not known just at this time who his opponent will be. Elmer Bassett of Shelbyville is mentioned as a probable candidate and there is a growing sentiment that it is about Wayne county's turn.

Meredith is a native of Williamsburg and has one of the largest acquaintances of any man in the county. He made two races for sheriff before being successful, and each time carried practically all of the townships outside of Richmond. He is a member of seven secret societies. Since making his residence in Richmond he has added to his list of friends and it is not expected he will have any trouble in lining up a solid delegation from Wayne county. He was a competent county official and upon retirement from office was complimented as one of the most efficient men in the history of the office.

TO RUN CHARITY  
LIKE A BUSINESS

Rushville Women Propose New Organization to Benefit Indigent Residents of the City.

## TO KEEP REGULAR ACCOUNTS

Will Leave Books in Public Place so They May be Inspected at Any Time.

A number of women who have had in charge most of the charity work done in Rushville in the last seven or eight years, plan now to organize the work on a thorough and business like basis. It is their plan to so organize as to exclude all unworthy applicants and reach only worthy and needy persons, some of whom may feel too much pride to apply.

It is a part of their plan to keep a complete and comprehensive set of books which will give account of all receipts and expenditures. All money given by them from their charity fund is paid by check and there is written on the back of each and every check issued what the money purchased. This policy has been pursued in the past and they intend to continue it.

The improvement over the old plan is in the announcement that the set of books will contain a separate account with every person or family in the city who are benefited by their fund. Each account will show the probable earning capacity of that person or family in question; the probable expenses attached to the daily life, excluding, of course, expenses which arise unexpectedly such as sickness; the amount of money which has been paid by the charitable association and why the donation was considered necessary.

It is proposed to have this set of books properly indexed and keep it open for public inspection in some public place in the business district which will be accessible at any time. This plan is arranged so that no possible complaint can be made against the association of workers. Under this regime any person may call and look over the accounts and see just what is being accomplished.

Charity workers believe also that this new idea will help considerably in the matter of individual giving to the poor. Any person who is called upon to contribute to poor or indigent residents of the city, may consult the proposed set of books and records and see what, if anything, in the way of charity was done in this peculiar case, and then can get a clear and concise idea of the case and determine whether or not there is a need where the application has been made.

The promoters of this new charitable movement wish it plainly understood, however, that there will be no need or necessity, for a time at least after the first of the year, for any private money contributions of the city's poor. As long as the money of the association lasts, the members stand ready and willing to assume the entire burden of the city's charity, outside, of course, of the work done by the township trustee.

The local women in charge of the work expect to procure a room in the business district where any kind of wearing apparel may be taken. The members of the association will distribute the clothing as they know where there is a need.

The membership of this newly proposed charitable organization will consist of representatives from the different local organizations now working in the field. They are all well acquainted with the local conditions and know where real charity is needed and where it will accomplish.

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## SELL 2500 CROSS SEALS

Tri Kappas Are Highly Successful With Work This Year.

The Tri Kappas sold twenty-five hundred Red Cross seals at the post-office last week. This is up to the standard which has been set by the local sorority in previous pre-Christmas sales at the postoffice. They are very much gratified with their success. They placed the stamps on sale at most of the local business houses but have not yet ascertained the amount of the sales at these places.

TEN DEGREES ABOVE  
IS PROMISED NOW

Weather Forecast is That Another Drop in the Temperature Will Come Tonight.

## 12 ABOVE IS LOWEST OF YEAR

The coldest weather of the winter this far is near at hand, according to the forecast of V. H. Church, section director of the United States weather station in Indianapolis. The cold wave came into this section last night as predicted, a drop of twenty-four degrees in less than twelve hours being experienced. Much colder weather tonight and tomorrow is expected. Fair weather also is promised. By tomorrow morning the temperature, it is predicted, will be between 10 and 15 degrees above zero, probably nearer 10 degrees.

The lowest recorded this far this season was 12 degrees above zero on November 13, at a time when Rushville was shivering in its boots and water pipes were bursting on all sides.

INSTITUTE WILL  
BE HELD AT MILROY

Anderson Township Farmers Will Meet in Auditorium There Tomorrow.

## LARGE CROWD EXPECTED

The farmers institute of Anderson township will be held tomorrow in the auditorium in Milroy. An interesting program has been arranged and a large crowd is expected to attend. The institute will convene at ten o'clock in the morning. The morning session will include a song by a quartet, invocation by Rev. C. S. Black, an address by George W. Looney and a discussion on "Sheep on the Small Farm" by F. G. King.

In the afternoon Dr. L. C. Kigin will give an address on "Hog Cholera" and will be followed by F. C. Green, who will talk on "Poultry." The closing number will be an address by F. G. King on the subject of "Cattle Feeding."

## FINED FOR RIDING TRAINS.

Frank and George Feaster were each fined one dollar and costs yesterday afternoon by Mayor Black for riding a Pennsylvania freight train within the city limits. The boys were caught by a railroad detective. Both fines were stayed.

American shoes seem to be very popular in southern France. Show window displays in the stores are full of French made shoes bearing such labels as "American shape" and "American styles," to attract buyers.

RECEPTION WILL  
BE HELD TONIGHT

Rushville People Will Have Opportunity to Meet College Presidents at Church.

## SOCIAL HOUR FROM 8 UNTIL 9

Eight Educators Arrive This Morning For Conference and Are Very Busy All Day.

The Rev. A. W. Jamieson, pastor of the United Presbyterian church, announced today at noon that the presidents of the various United Presbyterian colleges, universities and theological seminaries, who are here today for a conference, granted his request and signified that they would be glad to meet the people of Rushville in a social hour at the church this evening. The church will be open for the gathering from eight until nine o'clock. All of the eight prominent educators mentioned yesterday arrived today and immediately a meeting for which they came to this city was called. They were in session all of the day and will have to continue until late, it is understood in order to transact all of the business of the session.

The meeting was called by Dr. W. T. Campbell, secretary of the board of education of the church. It was to have been held in Chicago, but this plan failed due to the poor health of Dr. Campbell who did not feel it would be advisable for him to travel to the "windy city."

It is urged that a representative body of Rushville people turn out tonight to meet the college heads. The Rev. Mr. Jamieson says there is a general opinion current that the social hour is for men only. He wishes to correct this impression as it was intended from the first that women as well as men be present. The idea of holding a public meeting so that Rushville people could come in touch with the noted educators was entertained by the Rev. Mr. Jamieson as soon as he learned that they would be here.

It is urged especially that college people come to meet and hear the college presidents. It is thought this will prove an excellent opportunity for the many college undergraduates who are here now on their annual Christmas vacation, to come in contact with the heads of institutions other than their own.

This does not mean that anyone is excluded, however. The Rev. Mr. Jamieson hopes that no one will feel any hesitancy about coming for the meeting as it will be a very cosmopolitan affair and one which he believes will be hugely enjoyed by all who attend.

## MAY SAVE HIS PAJAMAS

Representative Gray Bereft of Everything Else.

It is said Representative Finly Gray will know what it is to reach for an April disappearing purse and come back empty handed when he gets through with Sixth district political convulsions, says the Indianapolis Star. It is understood Mr. Gray may take potluck with the anti-Taggart push this year. It is also predicted that when he awakens he will be bereft of all save honor and his political pajamas.

The river of Jordan is said to be the most rambling stream known. It winds 213 miles in covering a distance of 60 miles.

## P.O.S. OF A. ELECTS OFFICERS

Lodge Names New Officials For Ensuing Year.

The P. O. S. of A. lodge has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Ezra Crosby, president; Theo. Jarvis, vice-president; William Gilson, master of forms; Isaac Miller, recording secretary; George Pearson, financial secretary; M. V. Spivey, treasurer; Thomas Felts, conductor; James Gregg, inspector; Sam VanSycle, guard, and Theo. Jarvis, trustee for three years.

"POOL OF FLAME"  
IS NEW SERIAL

Novel by Louis Joseph Vance, Author of "The Brass Bowl" Starts in Daily Republican.

## BETTER TURN TO IT AT ONCE

Louis Joseph Vance couldn't write a poor story of he tried. There is no record that he ever tried—at least not when he wrote "The Pool of Flame." Readers of modern fiction will recognize in Mr. Vance the author of "The Black Bag," "The Brass Bowl," "The Bronze Bell" and other successes. It is therefore with considerable satisfaction that the Daily Republican announces the serial production of his newest and unquestionably his best story—"The Pool of Flame."

Like all of Vance's stories, it starts off with an interesting situation "on the jump." There is no delay, no lost motion. The story marches right along to a novel conclusion and it is well worth the reading.

There's a big installment on page six. Better turn to it now.

WILL BE TRIED FOR  
HORSE STEALING

Floyd Mullen of Laurel, Charged With Burglary, Will Appear in Fayette Circuit Court.

## PROVED LIVELY SPRINTER

Floyd Mullen of Laurel, was brought to this city this morning by Marshal Bloom of that village and is in jail awaiting trial on a charge of stealing a horse belonging to James H. DeArmond, of near Orange, says the Connorsville News. The alleged theft took place early in October one night, and the lad who is young, was captured and brought to jail by Mr. DeArmond himself. He was not tried for a charge was pending against him for burglary in Franklin county. He was lately acquitted of this charge and released.

Tuesday Marshal Bloom was instructed by the local police force to arrest the young man, as he was wanted here on the horse stealing charge. Before sunrise this morning the marshal went to the boy's home to make the arrest, but the boy saw him coming and escaped, bare-headed and barefooted through a side door. A chase of about a mile across country ensued and the fleeing youngster was then overtaken by the officers, who brought him to this city.

The boy has been in the Plainfield reformatory. His trial will take place before Judge Gray tomorrow, it is understood.

Fair and much colder tonight. Thursday fair and colder.

WANT FARMERS  
FOR INSTITUTE

Committeemen Urge Many Attend the Two Days' Session in Court House This Week.

## GOOD SPEAKERS PROVIDED

Cattle and Dry Lot Hog Feeding Are Considered Very Pertinent Subjects.

It is urgently requested that every man and woman interested in the farm or the work of the tillers of the soil attend the farmers' institute which will be held in the court house assembly room Friday and Saturday.

Friday morning, F. G. King will talk on the subject, "Sheep on the Small Farm." It is assured that the speaker will make no reference to Schedule K, however. The program will be opened with a piano solo by Miss Alice Norris. The invocation will be pronounced by the Rev. C. M. Yocum. George W. Thomas will lead the discussion on the address.

Friday afternoon Dr. L. C. Kigin or Dr. F. H. Davis of this city will give a talk on hog cholera and its treatment. After the usual discussion the Jackson school orchestra will play. F. G. King of Purdue University talks on "Dry Lot Hog Feeding." This is a new and timely subject for farmers in this section. It is pointed out they have had enough experience in wet lot hog feeding if they have any left to feed after the ravages of hog cholera.

After a piano solo by Miss Olive Buell and invocation by the Rev. A. W. Jamieson, A. C. Brown of this city will tell something of the raising and marketing of wheat. After the discussion J. B. Burns of Cloverdale will talk of cattle feeding.

Saturday afternoon the music will be furnished by the Jackson school orchestra and Mr. Burns will speak on the topic, "Barn Yard Stable Manure." A discussion will be held. C. W. Boynton of Chicago will tell of cement and its uses. He will show with the aid of charts the many different uses to which it may be applied.

PENNSYLVANIA TO  
RUN DOUBLE TRACKS

To be Built Between Dunreith and Lewisville—Grade and Road Bed Will be Changed.

## ONE TOWN GETS NEW DEPOT

The announcement is made that the Pennsylvania lines will begin the work of double-tracking the section of the Indianapolis-Columbus division between Dunreith and Lewisville, the first of the year. The section, when completed will mean double track on the road practically all of the distance between the Hoosier and Buckeye capitals.

The grade there will be heavy and will completely change the appearance of the roadbed. The improvements also resulted in the announcement that a new depot will be erected in Lewisville and that massive concrete arches will carry the rails over two streets.

The double track grade work has been practically completed between Dunreith and a point west of Knightstown. Between Richmond and Dublin trains have been running on the new grade for several weeks.



## Suggestive Questions

On the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the International Press Bible Question Class.

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### REVIEW.

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### REVIEW.

Golden Text—If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. I John 1:9.

The following questions may be used as an original lesson, or as a review of the thirteen preceding lessons.

The date and title of each lesson, where found, Golden Text, and one question from each lesson follow.

Oct. 1. The Prophet Ezekiel a Watchman. Ezek. iii. Golden Text—Hear the word at my mouth, and give them warning from me. Ezek. iii:17.

(1.) Verse 7—What is the effect of preaching the gospel upon those who will not hear?

Oct. 8. The Life Giving Stream. Ezek. xlvii. 1-12. Golden Text—Whoever will let him take of the water of life freely. Rev. xxi:17.

(2.) Verses 1-2—What does water, when used in the bible as a figure of speech, generally stand for? (This is one of the questions that may be answered in writing by members of the club.)

Oct. 15. The Return From Captivity. Ezra 1:1-11:64-70. Golden Text—He retaineth not his anger forever, because he delighteth in mercy. Micah. vii:18.

(3.) Verses 1-2—Where were the Jews as a people, at the opening of this lesson, and what were the circumstances which took them there?

Oct. 22. The Foundation of the Second Temple Laid. Ezra iii:1-4:3. Golden Text—Enter into his gates with thanksgiving and into his courts with praise. Ps. C:4.

(4.) Verse 1—Which should have the right of way, or first place, our own business or that of the church?

Oct. 29. A Psalm of Deliverance. Ps. lxxv. Golden Text—the Lord hath done great things for us whereof we are glad. Ps. Cxxvi:3.

(5.) Verse 1—How much of the prosperity of our land and nation depends upon the favor of the Lord?

Nov. 5. Esther Pleading for Her People. Esther iv:1-v:3. Golden Text—The Lord preserveth all them that love him. Ps. cxlv:20.

(6.) Verses 1-3—What were the circumstances which caused Mordecai to rend his clothes and put on sackcloth?

Nov. 12. World's Temperance Sunday. Belshazzar's Feast and Fate. Dan. v. Golden Text—God shall bring every work into judgment, with every secret thing, whether it be good, or whether it be evil. Eccl. xii:14.

(7.) Verse 1—What is the social, intellectual, and moral value, of "smokers" and drinking parties?

Nov. 19. Ezra's Journey to Jerusalem. Ezra viii:15-36. Golden Text—The hand of our God is upon all them that seek him. Ezra viii:22.

(8.) Verses 15-20—Who and what was Ezra?

Nov. 26. Nehemiah's Prayer. Neh. i. Golden Text—"The effectual" fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much. James v:16.

(9.) Verses 1-3—By whom, and when, had the wall of Jerusalem been broken down?

Dec. 3. Nehemiah Rebuilds the Wall of Jerusalem. Neh. iv. Golden Text—Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong. I Cor. xvi:13.

(10.) Verse 1—What progress had been made up to this time in rebuilding the wall of Jerusalem, and how had the work been done?

Dec. 10. Nehemiah and His Enemies. Neh. vi. Golden Text—"The Lord is the strength of my life: whom shall I be afraid. Ps. xxvii:1.

(11.) Verse 1-2—When God is blessing us with great success in our work, how does that generally affect those who are doing similar work and why is it so?

Dec. 17. Ezra Teaches the Law. Neh. viii. Golden Text—"The law of the Lord is perfect converting the soul. Ps. xix. 7.

(12.) Verses 1-5—Where was this great meeting of the Jews held, what was its object and result?

Dec. 24. Malachi Rebuking and Encouraging Judah. Mal. iii:1-v:3. Golden Text—"Return unto me and I will return unto you, saith the Lord of hosts. Mal. iii:7.

(13.) Verse 9—If a man does not pay to God's cause, at least ten percent of his earnings, does the Lord regard him as a robber? Give your reasons.

Dec. 24. Christmas Lesson. Jesus Born in Bethlehem. Matt. ii:1-12. Golden Text—"Unto you is born this day in the city of David a saviour, which is Christ the Lord. Matt. ii:11.

(14.) Verses 1-2—What does the lowly birth of Jesus signify to the world?

Lesson for Sunday Jan. 7th, 1912. The Birth of John the Baptist Foretold. Luke 1:5-23.

YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED

If you would like to have answered any particular question each or any week from "The Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson" by Rev. Dr. Linscott, send in your request to this office, giving the date questions you wish answered. You of the lesson and the number of the may select any question except the one indicated that it may be answered in writing by members of the club. Dr. Linscott will answer the questions either in these columns or by mail through this office. Don't forget to state what benefit these "Suggestive Questions" are to you. Give your full name and address. Send your letters to The Question Editor of the Daily Republican.

## STATE SUGGESTS TWO RECEIVERS

Terre Haute Building and Loan Association In Bad.

### TREASURER OF ONE HAS FLED

With the Recent Disappearance of Joseph Miller Leaving a Shortage of About \$10,000 in Funds of Concern Which He Practically Controlled, the State Building and Loan Department Winds Up Company's Affairs.

Indianapolis, Dec. 27.—Through Gilbert H. Hendreh, chief of the building and loan department of his office, State Auditor O'Brien has recommended to Judge Fortune of the Vigo circuit court, the appointment of Frank G. Fisbeck, cashier of the Terre Haute National bank, as receiver of the German Loan and Savings association of that city, whose secretary, Joseph Miller, recently fled to Germany, having a shortage estimated at about \$10,000 in his accounts. The bank of which Mr. Fisbeck is cashier is a creditor of the German association to the extent of about \$4,300, according to Mr. Hendreh, and he will serve as receiver without pay.

At the same time Mr. Hendreh recommended to Judge Fortune the appointment of Mr. Royce, a building and loan man, as receiver for the Real Estate Building and Loan association of Terre Haute, another small concern, which, he says, is in bad shape. He says that the affairs of both associations will be wound up and the associations put out of business, because both are insolvent.

### GOT THE RABBIT

But in Doing So This Boy Gave Himself a Fatal Wound.

Lawrenceburg, Ind., Dec. 27.—John W. Cook, aged fourteen, of Center township, accidentally shot himself while hunting. The boy chased a rabbit into a hollow log, placed his rifle in the hole in the log, attached a string to the trigger, walked to the other end and pulled the string to discharge the rifle. The ball entered his left lung. He caught the rabbit as it ran from the log and walked two miles to his home, falling dead on the kitchen floor, with the rabbit still in his hands.

Recalls Historic Occasion. Jeffersonville, Ind., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Isabelle Naudain, aged ninety-four, widow of Elias Naudain, is dead at her home at Charlestown, this county. Mrs. Naudain was formerly Isabelle Woods, and at the age of twenty she danced with the new president of the United States at the inauguration of Martin VanBuren, March 4, 1837. Her father, who was a musician at Washington, played a horn in the band at the inauguration of President Washington in 1789.

Company Courts Investigation. Anderson, Ind., Dec. 27.—The Anderson Gas company has issued a public statement saying that it welcomed the proposed investigation of its system by the city council. The gas company asserts that experts will find their service the equal of any other, and they say they have nothing to fear from an investigation. The committee of councilmen who will conduct the inquiry has not set a date for beginning the work.

Fell to Death From Bridge. South Bend, Ind., Dec. 27.—The body of Chester McDonough, aged thirty, was found face down in a creek eight inches deep. While crossing a small span over the stream McDonough is supposed to have missed his footing and clutched the rail to save himself. He fell eighteen feet, striking his head on the stone abutment. It is believed he was rendered unconscious and was unable to rise from the creek.

Caught by Train on Bridge. Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 27.—S. J. Buck, a timber worker in the lower vein mine near here, was cut in two by a miners' train while crossing the river bridge. He tripped while trying to cross the bridge ahead of the train, and was on his hands and knees attempting to crawl from the track when struck.

Negro Resisted Arrest. Jeffersonville, Ind., Dec. 27.—Ike Malone, a negro, aged forty-five, was seriously wounded in his hip by Mike A. Wall, chief of police, while resisting arrest on a charge of assault on Margaret Clay, housekeeper for Malone's half-brother. Captain Wall continues on duty, pending the outcome of the affair.

Widow Demands Damages. Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Ellen Dillon has brought suit for \$5,000 against Famous Williams for killing her husband, James Dillon, at Seelyville, in October, 1910. The two men had a quarrel in a saloon. Williams is under indictment. His trial is set for next month.

Two Boys and a Gun. Brownsville, Ind., Dec. 27.—While hunting rabbits Charlie Wooley, aged sixteen, accidentally shot Russell Whetsel, aged twelve, in the hip.

JOHN S. MILLER.

He Takes a Prominent Part in Defending Packers.

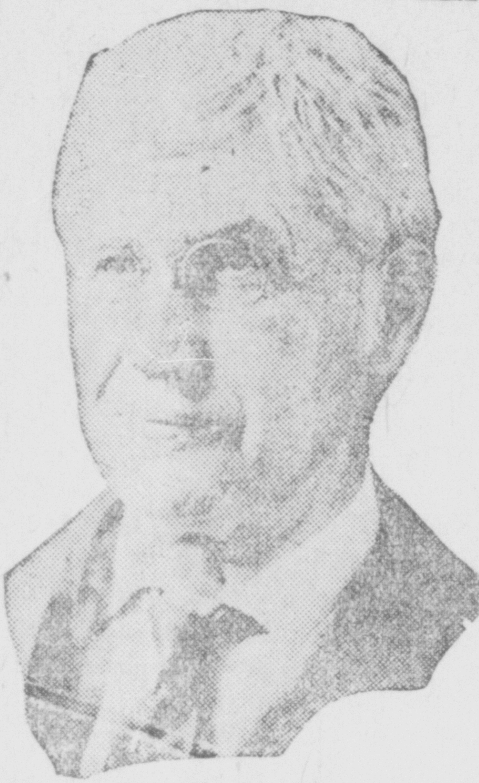


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## SHUSTER'S DEPARTURE NOW BEING ARRANGED

State Department Will Be Glad When He Is Out.

Washington, Dec. 27.—The expectation of officials of the state department is that Morgan W. Shuster will leave Teheran within a few days. Discussion of the means by which Mr. Morgan and other Americans associated with him together with the women and children of the party shall make their exit is now going on between Washington and the American legation in Teheran.

Though the American minister, Charles W. Russell, is assuming charge of the matter, the department is fully informed of developments in Teheran and it is well understood that the departure of Shuster from Persia will be welcomed at the state department with a sigh of relief. No comment has been made to this effect, but Shuster's status as the bone of contention in the dispute between Russia and Persia has been causing great anxiety at the department. This government was and still is pledged to protect him as an American citizen, yet any steps taken in that direction threatened to bring the United States and Russia into relations embarrassing to both. The departure of Shuster would wholly dispose of the problem. His dismissal by Persia has been expected from the first, as it was not for a moment thought that Persia could hold out against the determination of Russia to have her way. Mr. Shuster's family and friends in Washington are now likewise anxious for him to put an end to their alarms and depart.

Owing to the disordered state of affairs in north Persia an armed escort will be provided for Mr. Shuster and his party. As Russia has pushed her troops into that region, that government will be looked to to provide the American party with a safe conduct. The party will include besides Shuster, his wife, two young daughters, the dozen or more young Americans who have been assisting him in his work for the Persian government, and the wives and children of several of them. In all the party will number about twenty.

Tale of Atrocities Denied. St. Petersburg, Dec. 27.—The Russian consul at Tabriz telegraphs the foreign office that the Persian accusations about atrocities being committed by Russians are calumnies. The Russian troops, he says, are treating peaceable persons in a humane manner, although the Fidis committed outrages on wounded Russians and mutilated the dead. If any innocent persons perished, the consul says, it was doubtless due to the bombardment of houses from which the Persians fired fusillades.

### GAVE IT UP

Man Who Says He Is an Embezzler Tired of Continued Flight.

New York, Dec. 27.—John Fielding of Evanston, Ill., fifty-seven years of age, has given himself up to the New York police.

"About a year and a half ago I was the cashier of the Northwestern Light and Coke company of Oak Park, Ill.," he said. "I embezzled about \$4,000, and since then I have been wandering over the face of the earth without nerve enough to stay long in one place. I cannot stand the strain any longer, and I want to give myself up and get back home."

Had Too Much Dynamite. Pittsburg, Dec. 27.—Police of Moennessen, a steel and iron mill town near here, are trying to learn more concerning "George Bridges," who was arrested while carrying a suitcase filled with seventy-two sticks of dynamite, enough to blow up all the plants in the borough, where 8,000 non-union men are employed. In "Bridges's" pockets was found a large number of fuses.

## OVERRULED THE PACKERS' PLEAS

Judge Carpenter Denies Demand for Immunity Bath.

### ALL MUST "FACE THE MUSIC"

Pleading That Evidence Given by Them in 1905 Gave Them Immunity Against Prosecution For Acts Committed Prior to That Time, Three of the Defendants in Meat Trust Trial Make Ineffectual Pleas to Court.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Ruling that the government may submit evidence regarding all acts alleged to have been committed by the defendants at any time prior to the bringing of the indictments, Judge Carpenter has denied the ten meat packers on trial in the federal court for conspiracy in restraint of trade, the benefit of the immunity baths they received in 1905. Attorneys for defense had objected to the introduction of evidence regarding acts prior to 1905, because of the ruling of the federal court in the previous cases against the packers.

It was argued by John S. Miller of packers' counsel that Francis A. Fowler, Edward Tilden and L. H. Heyman, who were not indicted in 1905, furnished information to James R. Garfield, the government's investigator, and that they were entitled to the same immunity from prosecution for acts prior to that time as the seven other indicted packers.

The motions overruled were: That the evidence introduced by the prosecution on matters prior to 1905 be held invalid, and that three of the defendants—Francis A. Fowler, Edward Tilden and Louis S. Heyman—be given an "immunity bath," such as the seven other defendants were given in 1905 by Federal Judge Humphrey.

The existence of a phantom "association" which never had a name, whose purpose was known only to those who attended and which met every Tuesday afternoon on the sixth floor of a building in LaSalle street, at which all the "big six" in the packing industry were represented by leading officers, was revealed in the cross-examination of Albert H. Veeder. Veeder has been the legal representative of the Swift interests for more than a quarter of a century, and was the organizer of the Swift Packing company when it was formed into a corporation.

When the nameless association was formed his son was made secretary and he himself moved his offices from the eighth floor of the building to a room adjoining the weekly meeting place of the association. Pierce Butler, special counsel for the government, examined the witness and brought out a large amount of general information concerning the organization and methods of the packing industry in America.

### INVADED TOMB

Servian Revolutionaries Steal Head of King Peter's Father.

Vienna, Dec. 27.—Unknown ghouls broke open the grave of Prince Alexander Karageorgevich, father of King Peter of Servia, in St. Marx cemetery, near Vienna. They stole the head from the body, but did not take the orders or other jewelry which were buried with the prince. Neither did they meddle with the body of his wife.

The outrage is attributed to Servian revolutionaries in revenge for the action of King Peter in preparing a splendid tomb for his parents in Servia and arranging for the transfer of their bodies there next year.

Sought to Disarm Kinsman. Louisville, Ky., Dec. 27.—Raymond Durbin, twenty-three years old, was arrested and charged with involuntary manslaughter following the death of John LeGrand, twenty-one years old, his cousin. LeGrand shot himself through the chest in a scuffle with Durbin when the latter sought to disarm his kinsman.

A Boy and a Gun. Wheeling, W. Va., Dec. 27.—Roy Wells, aged fourteen years, of Monongah was killed by the accidental discharge of a shotgun when hunting rabbits. While waiting for a rabbit to emerge from a hole Wells sat down in such a manner that the muzzle pointed toward his face, when it went off.

Aged Man Burned to Death. Ashland, Ky., Dec. 27.—William Flynn, seventy-three years old, was burned to death in his home here when the residence was burned to the ground. Flynn, who lived alone, was asleep in the house at the time the fire started.

Scuffle For Gun Proved Fatal. Campbellsville, Ky., Dec. 27.—Wrestling in a spirit of fun with four companions over the possession of a shotgun, while hunting near here, Grover Rice, nineteen years old, was killed when the shell was discharged.

His Shot Went Wild. Harrodsburg, Ky., Dec. 27.—At Cornishville John Couser, celebrating Christmas, fired a revolver when on a street. A bullet hit his son, fifteen years old, in the head, fatally wounding him.

## COUNTY NEWS

### Glenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Munyan of the Connorsville Lumber Company, called on Orlando Nichols, one day this week.

Miss Gladys Mapes is home from the Hes Devor Business College at Indianapolis for the Xmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson are entertaining company during the holidays.

Rev. Sterrett is entertaining his son and wife for the Xmas vacation.

Miss Ruth Harwell is home from DePauw University for a ten days vacation.

Orlando Nichols transacted business at Indianapolis one day last week.

The U. P. church gave a Xmas program on Saturday evening after which the scholars were presented their annual present.

Prof. Walker and Miss Nelle Retherford attended the entertainment at U. P. church on Saturday evening.

Rev. Sterrett preached two excellent sermons on Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Nash of near Gings, Ind., visited here one day last week.

Many are returning home for their annual Turkey dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dunham were entertained for dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Verne Dolan north of here on Xmas.

Geo Jones is progressing very nicely at present.

The "Big Shoot" given here on Friday 22d was well attended. Messrs

Brooks and Simpson are complimented for the clean manner in which they conducted the business.

Mrs. Katie Mapes received word on Sabbath Day 1 o'clock p. m. that her aged father, who had been suffering from rheumatism for some time back, had passed from this life unto the great beyond.

Dan Laughlin is progressing very nicely since he is able to be out of bed.

The usual service held in the U. P. church on Sabbath day.

The M. E. S. S. pupils were presented the annual gifts Sunday morning.

Th Public schools closed Friday afternoon with appropriate exercises. The schools seems to have the proper spirit in them now.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Noble transacted business at the county seat on Saturday.

Uncle Thomas Chew is spending the Xmas vacation with A. L. Chew and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jeffrey and family have come to enjoy the Xmas vacation with Mrs. Jeffrey and Miss Jessie Jeffrey.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c. For sale by All Dealers.

The best plaster. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on over the affected parts is superior to a plaster and costs only one tenth as much. For sale by All Dealers.

Trustee Election There will be an election of three trustees of the Heavenly Recruit church, Rushville, Ind., February 12, 1912. 245c1

Smoke FAIR PROMISE 5c Cigars.

## PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction, on the Frank Cross farm, 6 miles northwest of Rushville, 2 miles east of Henderson, on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 2, 1912 BEGINNING AT ONE O'CLOCK, P. M.

the following personal property ONE GENERAL PURPOSE MARE, 12 YEARS OLD; ONE GENERAL PURPOSE MARE, 7 YEARS OLD, IN FOAL.

TWO MILCH COWS WITH CALF FARMING IMPLEMENTS

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CAN YOU IMAGINE a more delightful time to talk of that little business affair than over your good cigars and coffee, and after the excellent luncheon we can serve you? You are assured, of quiet, elegance and perfect service when you patronize us. Eagle Cafe South Court House. Meals 25c

The butcher boy says "IT'S MOST TIME FOR BUCKWHEAT CAKES AND SAUSAGE" Our sausage is ground from the finest pork—no old trimmings here—just the Simon pure pork from young pigs with just the right proportion of spices to make our sausage the finest you ever tasted. Order a pound today. If it isn't good bring it back. Phone 1569 H. A. Kramer



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Gives Color, Lustre to Faded and Gray Hair—Dandruff Quickly Removed.

From time immemorial, sage and sulphur have been used for the hair and scalp. Almost everyone knows of the value of such a combination for darkening the hair, for curing dandruff and falling hair, and for making the hair grow.

In olden times the only way to get a hair tonic of this sort was to brew it in the home fireplace, a method which was troublesome and not always satisfactory.

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The Wyeth Chemical Company of New York put up an ideal remedy of this sort, called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, and authorize druggists to sell it under guarantee that the money will be refunded if it fails to do exactly as represented.

If you have dandruff, or if your hair is turning gray or coming out, don't delay, but get a bottle of this remedy to-day, and see what a few days' treatment will do for you.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special Agents, Hargrove and Mullin.

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After a long and continued effort we have been able to secure Hog Cholera Serum in large quantities and we are prepared now to fill all orders promptly. We have done in the last ninety days over 5000 head.

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Light face, A.M. Dark face, P.M.			
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EFFACEMENT OF ROGER SULLIVAN

Illinois Democratic Commit-

tee-man Is Not a Candidate.

A MANEUVER AGAINST HEARST

Chairman Boeschstein of the State Committee Will Be a Candidate to Succeed Sullivan on an Anti-Hearst Platform and Will Have the Active Support of the Sullivan Folks Over the State.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—When it was announced that National Committeeman Roger S. Sullivan would not be a candidate for re-election on the national governing body, a bomb was dropped into the midst of the warring Democratic factions of Illinois.

Coincident with this announcement came the intelligence from southern Illinois that Charles Boeschstein of Edwardsville, chairman of the Democratic state committee, would be a candidate to succeed Mr. Sullivan.

Information was secured from trustworthy sources, also, that Mr. Boeschstein will make his campaign on an anti-Hearst platform, and that the solid organizing forces out in the state that have been friendly to the Edwardsville man will be marshaled against the Hearst people throughout the down-state territory.

The Boeschstein candidacy will have the active support of the Sullivan folks, both in Cook county and down over the prairies. This candidacy finally removes all elements of doubt from the Democratic situation, insofar as the Hearst and Sullivan warfare is concerned and with respect to the probable line-up of the contending forces in all of the 102 counties of the state.

It is now Boeschstein and his allies against the newspaper man for control, not only of the Illinois delegation to the national committee, but meanwhile control of the state organization. Hearst's candidate for Sullivan's place is Congressman Henry T. Rainey.

COMPLETE PEACE

Is Expected in Mexico Following Cap-

ture of Old General Reyes.

Mexico City, Dec. 27.—Contentment is general over the capture of General Reyes. Even the Revistas consider his prestige forever ended. Military circles criticize severely his tameness, as many hint that other motives than fear influenced his conduct, insinuating that negotiations were on between him and leaders. Revistas consider that they have been made ridiculous. The whole affair is a powerful boost for Madero's government, which has gained in popularity as well as strength.

Madero now has but two enemies worth considering, Vasquez Gomez and Zapata. The lesser of the two has no armed following, his partisans limiting themselves to criticisms which act politically as a healthful check on the government. It is believed Zapata will soon be checked in view of the military campaign against him in the south, which has been begun by the government. President Madero declares that Zapata will be crushed in a fortnight.

General Reyes to Be Exiled.

Monterey, Mexico, Dec. 27.—General Bernardo Reyes will not be sentenced to imprisonment for sedition nor will he be extradited to the United States for trial for violation of the neutrality laws. This was the opinion expressed today by a high military authority of the government. General Reyes will be exiled to Europe and kept under military espionage, it is stated.

FEUD BATTLE

One Kentuckian Killed, One Fatally

and Another Seriously Wounded.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 27.—Robinson

Creek was the scene of a desperate

battle in which one man was killed,

one fatally wounded and a third seri-

ously wounded. Noah Roberts met

General Branham and Jailer Branham

on a road and, it is said, General

Branham shot and killed Roberts, after

which the two Branhams engaged in a

rifle battle. General Branham was

probably fatally wounded and Jailer

Branham was seriously wounded. The

fight is said to have been the result

of a feud.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE

Observations of United States

weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m.

yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
New York.....	39	Rain
Boston.....	44	Cloudy
Denver.....	—2	Clear
San Francisco..	40	Clear
St. Paul.....	10	Snow
Chicago.....	40	Rain
Indianapolis....	50	Rain
St. Louis.....	36	Cloudy
New Orleans....	60	Cloudy
Washington....	42	Rain

Fair and colder.

POLITICAL POT BOILS UP SOME

Two Republicans Announce They Are

Candidates For Sixth District



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TELEPHONE NUMBER, 1111.

Wednesday, December 27, 1911.

Some people can't seem to enjoy their Happy New Year until they get the new resolutions safely buried.

The modern hustle for money suggests that some people have forgotten that the present styles for shrouds have no pockets.

As Gen. Woods says this country is not prepared for war, we trust congress will restrain its desires and decide not to have any.

The supreme court is trying to reduce the cost of litigation. This is right. Public amusement should be provided at popular prices.

The scenes described in Dante's Inferno have been considered rather fanciful, but not by any one who ever did shopping the night before Christmas in the big cities.

Now that the holiday festivities will soon be over, there will be no social events to record save a few quiet home lynchings in various parts of the country.

Treasurer Shuster having committed the crime of running the Persian treasury for the benefit of the Persians, our "traditional friend" Russia decides he must be sent home to America in disgrace.

The farmers who discuss the price of butter should get down back of the horse sheds where none of the police can overhear them combining in restraint of trade.

The artists complain that wealthy people are buying automobiles instead of pictures. That gives the artists a fine chance to paint automobile bodies, thereby getting money to cut their hair and give the children a turkey dinner.

The Indianapolis Sun prints as a supplement an eight page treatise by its publisher, Rudolph G. Leeds, on "Equal Costs"—which the young journalist presents as a panacea for our economic ills, says the Marion Chronicle. The production comprises a powerful diagnosis and a purile prescription. The theory of the author is that if we can do away with the custom of giving price discounts for quality, we have struck at the root of special privilege. This abuse, in so far as it is an abuse, and there is a logical basis for reasonable discounts for quantity buying—is a comparatively unimportant factor in the creation of monopoly. Mr. Leeds would create a system of equal credit also but credit is a factor in business which must be controlled in no small degree by the personal equation. The Chronicle believes that there is only one way of destroying monopoly. The substitution of government monopoly for private monopoly will not do it, or even relieve the people from its tyranny. Not only the abuses of the monopoly, but monopoly itself can be destroyed by the use of the government's taxing power through the imposition of graduated taxes, making it unprofitable to build any business toward the proportion of monopoly.

## Editorialesettes.

Only three hundred and sixty-three more shopping days until Christmas.

Turkey for New Years will be entirely out of place, says one man who has plenty of the cold kind to hold over.

After a few more Christmases it may become customary to summons people to court for failure to swap even and obtaining presents on false pretenses.

If Louis Thatcher should throw Mrs. Frank West, where would pictureland? Doe, he's sick at the turn.

They say that Prosecutor Dennis O'Neil has made his New Year's resolution already.

Of course, you've all read Dave Copperfield. One can almost find an Edward Murdstone every day of his young life. They have withheld sentiment and put forward reserve until, when they come to enter the golden gate they will freeze all the metal.

News item says China has begun to export pig iron. D'y suppose since all the hinky dinks have separated themselves from their pig tails, they are working them over into the latest product and exporting it?

But that's no worse than giving away a baby?

There's a cold wave coming, we understand, but it is neither ours nor Brother Kick's.

Muncie Man, age eighty-four, was married recently. Yes, he is wealthy.

Crawfordsville man complains that he paid thirty-five dollars in good money for a machine to make greenbacks, and now the darned thing won't work. How's that go? There must be one born.

FOR SALE—Farm of 91 acres, three miles west of Connersville on the Rushville and Connersville road, 1/2 mile from two stops on traction line. Very desirable location to build. The attention of Rush county men wanting to buy a farm is especially solicited. Will be sold Jan 20 at the law office of W. E. Ochiltree at 10 o'clock a. m. Address Will P. Alexander, Commissioner, Connersville, Ind. R. R. No. 4. 248118

Smoke FAIR PROMISE 5c Cigars.

## SIDES IN WITH EDWIN M. LEE

Houston Aultman Writes That State Chairman Gave Out Interview to Help Own Cause.

SAYS HE WANTS TRUE OPINION

If Presidential Primary Were Held, Local Man Believes Roosevelt Would Finish First.

Houston Aultman, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Aultman of this city, who is taking treatment in the State sanatorium at Rockville, addressed the following communication to the Indianapolis Star:

The interview given by Mr. Lee recently in Washington in which he says that Taft can not possibly carry Indiana has created quite a little bit of commotion in standpoint circles of the State. As should naturally have been expected, a very strong effort is being put forth by the administration element to discredit that interview by printing what a certain leading politician of this or that section of the State has to say regarding the interview.

Now I think Mr. Lee knew what he was talking about when he gave out his interview. He is a candidate for State chairman. In order to help his cause it was to his interest to find the real sentiment of the voters. He needed the facts to help him, and has got them better than anyone else who has less personal interest in the matter.

But regardless of whether Mr. Lee is right or wrong, one thing is certain, and that is, that it is possible to get the facts. The LaFollette men have pleaded all along for a presidential primary, so that the real sentiment of the voters could be obtained. But the best treatment their proposal could get at the hands of Taft's friends was that of ridicule and sneers, expressed in sarcastic and smart editorials. Now The Indianapolis Star is trying to get an expression of popular sentiment on the matter by going to sources where such an expression is impossible. Mr. Lee did not say "Taft is not strong with the professional politicians," but he did say that the people did not want him. The Taft people are pretending like they want the facts, but they want only such facts as will bring discredit on Mr. Lee. Now, if they really want the facts, why do they oppose the only proper method of obtaining them? Is it not a question, after all, whether all these leading political workers, who say Taft is so strong, really believe down in their hearts that he is? Men's opinions are best judged by what they do, rather than by what they say. The progressives have asked for a primary all along. They have nothing to fear from it, because they know popular sentiment is in their favor. The Taft people would favor such a primary also if they were as certain that their man would win. But the trouble is they know he is unpopular, and are afraid to hear an expression from the people on the matter. They are simply afraid to put the question to vote. If the names of Roosevelt, LaFollette and Taft were placed on a primary ballot they would finish in the order named, with Taft a poor third.

## RODENTS ARE DESTRUCTIVE.

To most persons the rat is an animal to be abhorred, at least you will seldom find anyone that has a kind word for them, and this is doubtless true, not only for the natural aversion and dislike that is usually felt toward therodent family, but for the vast amount of damage they annually do in the country. Millions of dollars of money is no doubt expended in supporting rats, and all expended against the wishes of the people. This year rats are said to abound in larger numbers than usual and they are becoming a source of great loss to the farmer. Agriculturists of our acquaintances assure us that some corn fields swarm with the "savage critters" and one man informed us that considerable damage has been done to corn in the shock on his place.

## TWELFTH EXCURSION TO ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO TUESDAY, JANUARY 2, 1912

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Local Manufacturers and Shippers Display Some in Coming Season of Association.

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General Invitation is Extended to all Non-Members—Addresses on Program.

Local manufacturers and shippers are showing considerable interest in the approaching annual convention of the Indiana Manufacturers' and Shippers' Association, to be held in Indianapolis at the Denison Hotel, December 28, "Employers' Liability" and Workmen's Compensation" will be the principal subjects discussed. These are subjects local manufacturers are vitally interested in and the discussions to be given them at the convention will be doubly important.

The Executive sessions of the convention will be held from 4:00 to 7:30 p. m. followed by the banquet. At the Executive session the reports of the officers will be received and J. E. Frederick of the Kokomo Steel & Wire Co., former president of the association, will discuss "Employers' Liability." I. W. Richardson, Jr., of Terre Haute, president of the association, will deliver his annual address at the banquet in the evening, followed by Hon. Addison C. Harris.

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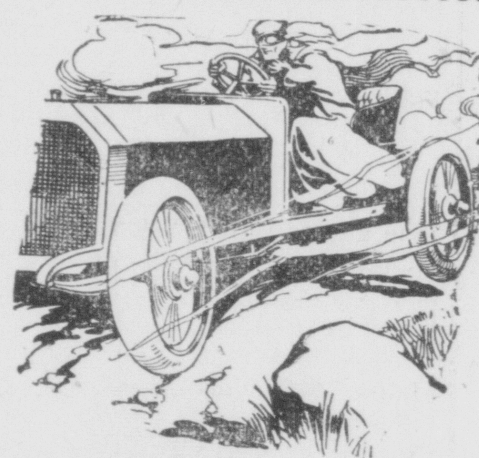
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former president of the Indiana Bar Association and former U. S. Minister to Austria, who will discuss "Workmen's Compensation." Secretary Zartman will review the work of the association for the past year. E. R. Hooton, chief of the Indiana Bureau of Inspection also will speak.

The question of enlarging the Executive Committee and extending the membership, also, will be discussed at the convention. About three hundred members of the association will attend. A general invitation has been extended to non-members of the association.



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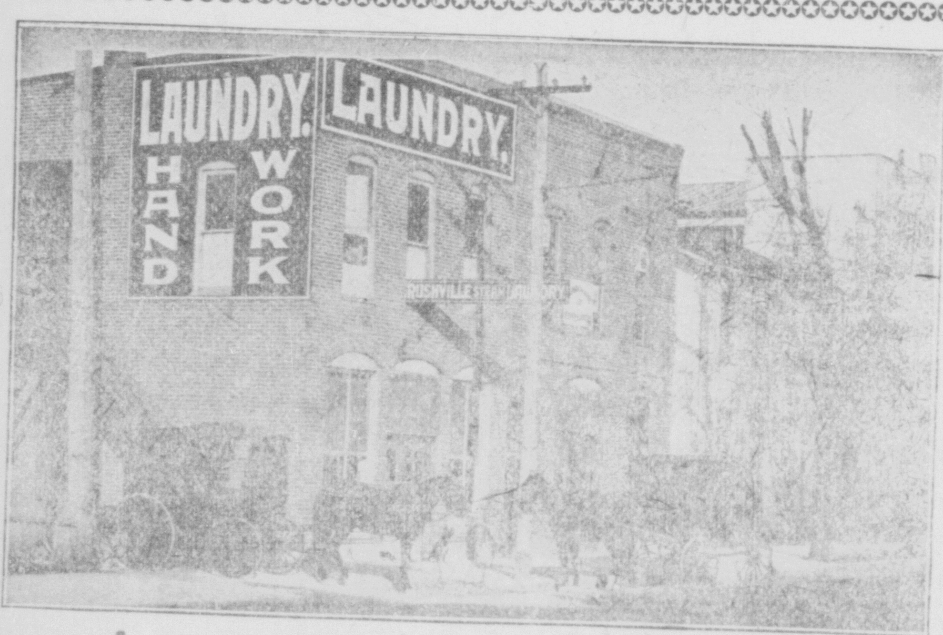
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This what happened,  
At Mary's house

Mary had a little wash,  
She hung it on the line;  
It took poor Mary all day long  
To do that wash so fine.

And ere night came there was a pain  
In little Mary's back;  
She had the rheumatiz quite bad,  
And a bronchial attack.

Then Mary had the doctor  
A dozen times or more;  
And the dollars of that doctor's bill

They numbered near a score.  
When Mary got about again,  
And was no longer ill,  
She said: "I've had the doctor,  
But I've saved the laundry bill."

Thoughtless Mary's not alone—  
There are too many such—  
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Elsewhere ten times as much.

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FRIDAY NIGHT "YOUNG LOCHINVAR"

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## Coming and Going

—Edward Frazee visited in Indianapolis today.

—John Knecht transacted business in Indianapolis today.

—Edward Crist returned to Chicago this morning after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Riley.

## PORTOLA

SOME PLACE TO GO

Feature Vitagraph

"The Fighting School Master"  
An Extra Good Drama.

"The Gypsy Bride"  
A Charming Story.  
(MEILE)

COMING

"The Tale of Two Cities"  
Friday and Saturday

## New Princess

Feature Western

"A Western Redemption"

One of the best Western Pictures in months.

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"The Run of the Bank"

An extra good comedy.  
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Song by Miss Richards.

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We find after the Christmas rush that we have a few pairs of both  
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—Miss Flora Gutapfel went to Muncie today for a few days' visit with friends.

—Donald Meyers went to Connersville to spend the week with relatives and friends.

—The Misses Dorothy and Marie Kelley of Indianapolis are the guests of relatives here.

—Frazier Caldwell of Indianapolis is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Caldwell.

—Dr. and Mrs. Harry A. VanOsdel returned to their home in Indianapolis yesterday after spending Christmas with E. A. Lee and family.

## SOCIETY NEWS

Connersville News: E. L. Jordan of Rushville and Mrs. Tinnie Geise of Connersville were pleasantly entertained at supper Monday night by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Jordan at their pleasant home on Indiana avenue.

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Word has been received here of the marriage of John Smullen of Raleigh and Miss Irma Pearson of Lewisville, Indiana. The ceremony was performed Sunday at Lewisville, and came as a surprise to friends of both. The bridegroom is quite well known here.

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Because of a conflict in dates, the annual New Year's dance will be given Thursday night in the Modern Woodmen hall. The New Year's dance has in former years been one of the big dances of the holiday season and this year's dance will be no exception. The Jones Saxophone Trio of Richmond will furnish the music.

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Among the many Christmas dinners perhaps none was more pleasant than the one at John Manz's east of the city. The Arnold descendants and Manzys numbered thirty, with two visitors from Knightstown. Turkey, with its accessories, oysters, vegetables, fruits, cake and plum pudding tempted the appetite. Afterward there was music from the victrola and gifts taken from the Christmas tree and presented by Santa himself.

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Miss Marie Ruth King, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius C. King, and William L. Booth, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Booth, both living a short distance south of the city, were quietly married by the Rev. W. H. Wylie at the Methodist parsonage at three o'clock this afternoon. Only immediate relatives attended. The bride wore a traveling suit of blue. They left at once for an extended trip to several large eastern cities.

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A large turkey dinner was served by Mr. and Mrs. James A. Bussel at their home east of Gings, Christmas day, in honor of the former's mother, brother and sisters. Those present were Mrs. Margaret Bussel and Miss Susan Bussel of Rushville, Mr. and Mrs. John Bussel and sons Guy and Chase and daughter, Mrs. Blanche Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carr and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McGraw and family, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Powell. An enjoyable time was had by all present. They will meet next year with Mrs. Margaret Bussel.

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Shelbyville Democrat: Miss Helena Raynes of Rush county is spending a few days here the guest of her sister, Miss Nellie Raynes of West Washington street.

Greensburg News: Charles Lines, wife and daughter, little Miss Edith of Adams township, left Tuesday morning for a visit with friends in Milroy and Rushville.

—Mrs. Charles Crumacker and daughter, Ellen Jane of Indianapolis returned home last evening after spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Amos and family, south of the city.

The name and fame of Hawaii are being spread broadcast through the mediumship of her delicious pineapples.

A thimble carrying a knife blade on the end has been patented by a California man to aid in picking fruit.

WANT ADS BRING RESULTS.

## AMUSEMENTS

The Princess will have the usual change of program tonight. "A Western Redemption" is an Essanay production telling a sensational western story. The other picture is a Selig comedy entitled "The Run of the Bank." Miss Richards will sing the illustrated song.

The Palace offers for tonight the usual two reels of pictures. "The Copperhead" is a Champion film telling a thrilling Civil war battle story. The battle scene is said to be especially good and is very realistic. "The Blotted Brand" is a Flying A. western picture. On Friday night the feature Thanhouser film, "Young Lochinvar" will be the attraction. This picture is taken from the poem by Sir Walter Scott of the same name and is said to be one of the best pictures of a recent release.

"The Fighting Schoolmaster" is the title of the first picture at the Portola tonight. It is a Vitagraph film and is said to be a good drama. The story is based on actual facts and shows many thrilling incidents. "The Gypsy Bride" is a Melies film telling a beautiful story. On Friday and Saturday nights the feature attraction will be "The Tale of Two Cities." The famous story by Charles Dickens is told in three reels and all the scenes of the novel are acted out in detail. This is the second time the pictures have been here and on the first engagement proved a very popular attraction.

## LOCAL NEWS

James Wooster is ill with tonsillitis at his home in West Third street.

Miss Clara Burton has accepted a position as stenographer in Carl V. Nipp's office.

Born to the wife of David Webster yesterday at their home near Arlington, a nine pound boy.

Little Harriet Carson, aged five, died in Lewisville yesterday of acute pneumonia. No funeral arrangements have been made as yet.

The case of the Arlington bank against Sarah E. Goldsberry and others for foreclosure of a mortgage was dismissed by the plaintiff in the Shelby circuit court yesterday.

The Rev. Arthur S. Boyer of Braceville, Ohio, will lecture at the New Salem M. E. church Friday night. The Rev. Clyde Black and wife expect to be present and sing. A silver offering will be taken at the door.

Chief of Police McAllister has received a communication from Xenia, Ohio, asking him to be on the watch for a man named Robert Irwin, who is wanted there for murder. A reward of \$100 is offered for his capture.

Jane Hoosier, a well known colored woman of Knightstown was granted a divorce from her husband, John Hoosier, in the Henry circuit court yesterday morning. In her complaint Mrs. Hoosier charged cruelty and inhuman treatment.

Charles R. Swain of Knightstown, a well known member of the Henry county bar, has been re-appointed deputy prosecuting attorney for Wayne township by H. H. Evans of New Castle. Mr. Swain succeeds M. R. Reddick, who has served the past two years.

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Marie—I suppose that's because you keep him in hot water all the time now.

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## PALACE WILL GIVE REAL BABY AWAY

Local Theater Announces That One of Its Patrons Will Receive a Two-Months-Old Youngster.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, IS DATE

Hist! Here's a rare chance for someone who is looking for a baby. One two-months old will be given away at the Palace theater one week from Friday night. Every person buying a ticket to the theater beginning Monday will receive a coupon with a number on it and this will entitle the holder to a chance on the baby. The management has not stated whether or not it will be necessary to take a coupon if you do not want it. Of course doubtless there are some people who do not want a baby of that variety, two months old, and no doubt there are others who will not have one drawn in a lottery or presented to them in any other way.

At any rate the Palace is intent on giving away a baby. The source from which the youngster is coming has not been divulged and it is announced that it will not be until after January fifth. Do not let the coupon keep you away, however, as it is presumed that the theater owners would not force a baby on to an unwelcome parentage. More anon.

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CHAPTER II.



After that bitter disappointment his interest in his personal appearance dwindled to the negligible. In a black tunic with himself (whom alone he blamed for the deception to which he had fallen too facile a victim) he searched blindly for a fresh tie, found it somehow, and knotted it round his collar in the most haphazard fashion imaginable. Then he shrugged a dress coat upon his shoulders and marched forth to dine.

In this humor he propelled himself with determination into the public restaurant of the establishment, and, oblivious to the allure of many pairs of bright eyes that brightened all too readily to challenge his, insisted upon a table all to himself, and dined in solitary grandeur, comporting himself openly as a morose and misunderstood person, and to his waiter with a manner so near rude that the latter began almost to respect him.

After some time he was disgusted to discover that he felt better. An impulse toward analysis led him to probe the psychology of the change, with the result that he laid the blame for it at the door—or the neck—of a half-bottle of excellent burgundy. So he ordered another, and, resolutely dismissing from his mind the woman who had no right whatever to be able to sing a certain song the way she had, set his wits to work on the riddle of tomorrow.

To a man whose trade was fighting, the world just then was a most distressful place, too peaceful entirely.

Over his coffee the adventurer nodded in despair and frowned in disgust; then rousing, he summoned the waiter and paid his reckoning with a secret grin at himself, a fifty-franc note and a gesture which splendidly obliterated altogether every trace of suspicion that he intended to take back any part of the change due him.

Trimming and lighting a cigar, he reviewed the restaurant with a listless eye which discovered no one of his acquaintance; therefore, with neither haste nor waste of time, he rose and betook himself to the Casino—that is, to the one place where one may feel certain of encountering, sooner or later, everybody who is anybody within the bounds of the principality.

This night, more particularly than on any preceding it, now that he had made up his mind to seek betterment of his fortunes elsewhere, he played heedlessly, little concerned with the fate of what money he had about him. He had set aside a reserve fund sufficient to settle his hotel bill and carry him a considerable distance into the unknown which he was resolved to beard, and was resigned to lose the remainder. It was a tenet of his creed of fatalism that chance seldom favored him when he had money in his pockets; the tide of his affairs must be at its lowest ebb ere it turned. His policy then was obvious—slidishly plain: he must fling to the winds all that which he had.

Now never was there a man who played to lose who didn't win his point. Colonel O'Rourke's case can be cited as no exception to this rule. Elbow to elbow on one side with an artless old lady from Terre Haute, who asked her minimums with the ferocious jealousy of a miser making an unsecured loan, on the other with an intent little Austrian gambler absorbed in the workings of his "system," the adventurer scattered gold upon the numbered and illuminated grid-iron as unconcernedly as though he had been matching shillings, and saw the coins gathered in by the greedy rakes, as when the little ivory ball ceased to clatter on the wheel.

For the better part of an hour this continued. And the little group of spectators which had gathered behind his chair to watch his play incessantly dissipated. A whisper ran through the ranks of the habitués that the luck of the mad Irishman had turned; and forthwith he ceased to be an object of interest. Only the little Austrian, having risked the number of stakes prescribed by his system for the evening's play, put away his notebook and pencil and, surrendering his place to another, lingered behind O'Rourke's chair, unable to resist the fascination of watching a man who could at once lose money and retain his composure.

At length, inexpressibly bored and too impatient to defer the inevitable by negligard wagers, O'Rourke ransacked his pockets and placed the proceeds—several hundred francs—I am as ignorant of the amount as he was indifferent to it—upon the red.

There fell a lull, the croupier holding the wheel to permit an unabated mob of Chicago millions to cover the cloth with stakes too numerous for his half-developed intelligence to keep count of; and the adventurer shifted in his seat, reviewing the assemblage. For some moments, through the mysterious working of that sixth sense which men are pleased vaguely to designate intuition, he had been subconsciously aware of being the object of some person's fixed regard, that somebody was not only watching, but

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notes on the red was a somewhat startling sight to him. His breath stopped in his throat. The ivory sphere was rattling over the compartments to its predestined place. What if he were to win? O'Rourke began to calculate mentally how much he had at stake, how much he might win if his careless prediction that red would turn up the seventh time should come true—lost his bearings in a maze of intricate computation and was on the point of abandoning the problem when black was called.

"Great God!" panted the Austrian, withdrawing his hand.

O'Rourke rose. "The fortunes of war, me friend," said he with a laugh so unforced that it sounded unnatural. He strode away hastily, searching the throng in the lobby for her with whom his mind was occupied to the exclusion of all else.

The system-gambler followed him with a stare of incredulous amazement. "What a man!" said he to himself, if half aloud. A second later he added: "What admirable acting!"

But he was mistaken. There was nothing assumed in O'Rourke's air of apathy. He was actually quite indifferent and already preoccupied with his new interest—the pursuit of the woman whose unexpected appearance in Monte Carlo seemed likely to upset all his calculations. The sails of the barque of his fortunes had all his life long been trimmed to the winds of Chance; he was accustomed to seeing them fall flat and flapping, empty, just when a venture seemed most propitious. The loss of the money was nothing; the initial amount had been little enough in all conscience, though the major part of all that he possessed; but to him the woman was everything—the world and all.

And now she was gone, had disappeared with her companions! In that instant in which he had turned from her to the table, she had made her escape.

He cursed roundly the weakness that had lost her to him, and passing rapidly through the lobby, left the Casino, pausing before the entrance to look right and left.

There was no sign of what he sought; the party had vanished. And who should say whither?

"Damnation!" he grumbled.

"Monsieur," a voice intruded at his side.

"He turned with a start, annoyed.

"Well?" he demanded curtly, recognizing De Trebes.

The Frenchman bowed. "I have the honor to address Monsieur le Colonel O'Rourke."

Reflecting that the man might afford him the information he sought, O'Rourke unbent. "I am he, Monsieur des Trebes."

Surprised, the latter lifted his eyebrows, showing even white teeth in a deprecatory smile. "You know me, monsieur?"

"By sight and reputation only, monsieur."

"I am honored."

"No more than myself, if it comes to that."

The vicomte laughed. "Then I may presume to ask the favor of a word with you?"

"Are ye not having it, monsieur?"

"True . . . But in private?"

"One moment. Ye can do me a favor, if ye will. Afterwards—"

"I am charmed."

"'Tis not much I'll be asking ye—merely a question or two. Now that gentleman ye were talking with awhile back: isn't he the Honorable Bertie Glynn?"

"The same, monsieur."

"And the lady who spoke to him—?"

"Madame Smyth-Herriott, I believe; I know her only slightly."

"Then ye are not of their party?"

"Party? Des Trebes appeared perplexed. "What party?"

"Why, Lady Pinlimmon's, of course."

"I have not the honor of that lady's acquaintance, monsieur."

"Oh, ye have not? But Mr. Glynn?" "Is here with me, monsieur—a flying trip. We ran down from Paris but yesterday. Our meeting with Madame Smyth-Herriott was quite accidental."

"Oh, the devil!" said O'Rourke beneath his breath. Plainly he might expect nothing more helpful from this man; he had jumped prematurely at a baseless conclusion, it seemed. And by now it was much too late to think of further pursuit. "That is all I wished to know, monsieur," he admitted lamely. "There was a lady in the group whom I thought I recognized. I wished to find her, and fancied ye might perhaps direct me. Ye didn't by any chance happen to hear Mrs. Smyth-Herriott say where she was going with Mr. Glynn?"

"Unhappily, no, monsieur."

"Very well then. What can I have the happiness to serve ye in?"

The Frenchman hesitated briefly. "This is a trifle public," he suggested. "Will you not be kind enough to walk with me a little distance, while we converse?"

"Gladly, monsieur."

Des Trebes produced a cigarette case, and together, smoking, the two turned their backs upon the casino and wandered off along the paths of the terrace.



"I Have the Honor to Address Monsieur Le Colonel O'Rourke."

garden. Ever descending, they came at length to the secluded, little lighted and less frequented portions of the grounds which border the water-front, and presently sat side by side upon a bench, looking out over the harbor. Then and then only did Des Trebes approach his subject—something which he had until now studiously avoided, distracting the not over-patient Irishman by a falling fire of banalities.

"I dare say, Colonel O'Rourke," he suggested abandoning his mother tongue for excellent English—"I dare say you are wondering—"

"I am that."

"I feared so. But it was essential that we should speak in privacy."

"Yes—"

"But before I proceed, may I put you a question or two bordering, perhaps upon impertinence, yet not so conceived?"

"What a long-winded beggar!" O'Rourke commented mentally. "As for that," said he aloud, "tis impossible for me to calculate the impertinence until 'tis put to me. Eh?"

"Believe me, sir, I am anxious only to avoid indiscretion. It is the question of your identity alone. I desire only to be assured that you are the Colonel O'Rourke I take you to be."

"My faith! And who else would I be, now?"

"There's the bare possibility that two of the same name might exist."

"'Tis so bare that 'tis fairly indecent," chuckled the Irishman. "But fire away."

"I am not mistaken in assuming that I address the Colonel Terence O'Rourke who was at one time party to le petit Lemerclie's mad Empire du Sahara project and who later married Lemerclie's widow, Madame la Princesse de Grandlieu?"

O'Rourke took a long breath and looked his questioner up and down.

"Ye have a very pretty taste in the matters of impertinences," he said gravely. "However, let that pass. I'm the same man."

"A thousand pardons. Caution in matters such as this—" A shrug completed the thought most eloquently. "You can give me proofs of your identity, then?"

"Proofs!" O'Rourke got to his feet. "Believe me, monsieur, ye have all the proof I'm willing to give ye, and that's my last word. If ye find it insufficient, why, then—"

"Pardon!" Des Trebes interrupted, rising. "I am myself more than content. But the Government of France—"

"The Government of France—I!" O'Rourke whistled.

"Is more exacting than I. It knows a certain Colonel O'Rourke and him alone does it need."

"The devil it does! And what will it be wanting with me?"

"I can say at present no more than that I represent Government in an affair demanding secrecy and dispatch. I have a certain diplomatic mission to discharge, and shall have need, monsieur, of a man strong, bold, venturesome, willing to undertake a long and perhaps perilous journey." Had Des Trebes been inspired he could have formulated no speech better calculated to intrigue the Irishman; the merest echo of its import would have fired his hearer's fancy. He added: "And I am authorized to retain for that purpose, should I be fortunate enough to find him unengaged, a certain Colonel Terence O'Rourke."

"Say no more, monsieur. 'Tis enough. 'Secrecy—dispatch—a long

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and perilous journey! Faith I'm just your man!"

"You have no other business of the moment?"

"None whatever."

"Then I am indeed fortunate. And now, I presume, you will no longer object to satisfying me as to your identity."

"Not in the least. Although, to be candid, monsieur, I'm not in the habit of carrying me Bertillon record about me. But if ye'll have the goodness to accompany me to the Orient, over there, I'll put your mind at ease before ye can say knife."

Des Trebes nodded. "I should be delighted, but unfortunately—" he snapped the case of his watch—"I have an appointment with a confrere. May we fix a time—in half an hour, say—when it will be convenient for you to have me call at the Orient?"

"In half an hour? I'll await ye then, monsieur."

"Pardon, then, my haste. I am late. I must be off."

The man's hand touched O'Rourke's in the most brief of clasps, singularly firm and cold. The Irishman pondered the sensation for some moments after Des Trebes' hurrying figure had vanished in shadows.

"I don't like it," he averred; "'tis a bad sign—a hand that's naturally cold. I never yet touched one like it that belonged to a man ye could trust. I misdoubt he's sound at the core, Des Trebes. . . . But what, what's the odds? Can I not take care of myself? And since 'tis the Government of France I'm treating with, and himself only the medium—that puts altogether a different complexion on the matter."

He spent the ensuing half-hour loitering in the more populous portion of the grounds, smoking as he strolled, his eyes keen to scrutinize each woman who came his way. But he discovered none resembling her whom he had seen in the Casino.

CHAPTER III.

As he stepped out of the lift Colonel O'Rourke remarked a light in his room, visible through the transom over the door.

"The femme de chambre," he thought. "Sure and the poor thing's still busy trying to clear up. . . ."

To the contrary, he found the door fast. "Tis careless she was to leave the light on," he observed, fitting his key in the lock.

If thoughtless in that one way, the woman had fulfilled the better of her word in the other. It was with comprehensive relief (since he anticipated a caller) that he found the room once again presentable.

But one thing surprised him; and more surprising still was the fact that his ordinarily indifferent eye should have detected it at the first glance.

He had indeed hardly entered before he became aware of a square of white paper tucked in the corner of the bureau mirror.

"The devil, now!" he greeted it. "That's curious. . . . Could one of me many admirers have bribed the femme de chambre to bring a note to me?" He chuckled, holding to the light a much soiled envelope, grimy with the marks of many fingers, plastered with stamps and black with postage marks and substitute addresses, having evidently been forwarded over half the world before it reached the addressee: who was, in a bold hand, "Colonel Terence O'Rourke."

He whistled low over this, examining it intently, infinitely less concerned with its contents than with the manner by which it had reached him. The first postmark seemed to be that of Rangoon, the original address, the Cercle Militaire, his club in Paris. Thence, apparently, it had sought him in Galway, Ireland, Dublin, Paris again, and finally—after half a dozen other addresses—"C. of Mme. O'Rourke, Hotel Carlton, London." The London postmark was indecipherable. . . .

He found himself trembling violently. By one hand alone could this have reached him, since the post had

not brought it to Monte Carlo. . . . He recalled that woman's voice which had so stirred him, the woman of the Casino whose bearing had seemed to him so familiar. . . .

Someone tapped on the door; he smothered a curse of annoyance, and went to answer, thrusting the letter into his pocket.

A page announced Monsieur le Comte des Trebes.

"Show the gentleman up," snapped O'Rourke. He was about to add, "In

the Frenchman rose, offering him the Envelope.

five minutes," when Des Trebes himself appeared.

"Anticipating that message, monsieur," he said, moving into view from one side of the door, "I took the liberty of accompanying this boy. I am late, I fear."

O'Rourke forced a nod and smile of welcome. "Not to my knowledge," said he.

The Frenchman consulted his watch. "Ten minutes late, monsieur; it is ten past midnight."

"Then," said O'Rourke, "the top of the morning to ye. Enter, monsieur."

He stood aside, closing the door behind him. "Tis no matter; if I thought ye punctual, 'tis so ye are to all intents and purposes. . . ."

A chair, monsieur." He established Des Trebes by a window. "And a cigarette? . . . A drop to drink? . . . As ye will. . . . And since 'tis to talk secret business that we're here—would ye like the door locked?"

"That is hardly essential!" Des Trebes reviewed his surroundings with swift, searching glance. "We are at least secure from interruption; one could ask little more."

"True for ye," laughed O'Rourke. He moved toward the alcove. "Now first of all I'm to submit proofs of me identity, I believe," he added, intending to dig out of his trunk a dispatch-box containing his passports and other papers of a private nature.

But Des Trebes had changed his mind. "That is unnecessary, monsieur. Your very willingness is sufficient proof. I have your word and am content."

"That's the way of doing business that I like," assented O'Rourke heartily, warning a little to the man as he turned back a chair facing the vicomte. "Besides, I quarrel with no man's right to be reasonable. . . . And now I'm at your service, monsieur."

Des Trebes, lounging back, knees crossed, thin white fingers interlacing, black eyes narrowing, regarded the Irishman thoughtfully for a moment. Abruptly he sat up and removed from an inner pocket a long thin white envelope, thrice sealed with red wax and innocent of any superscription whatever.

"Are you prepared, monsieur," he demanded incisively, "to play blind-man's bluff?"

"Am I what?" asked O'Rourke, startled. Then he smiled. "Pardon; perhaps I fail to follow ye."

"I mean," explained the vicomte patiently, "that I have to offer you a commission to act under sealed orders"—he tapped the envelope—"the orders contained herein."

"And when would I be free to open that?"

"As soon as you are at sea—away from France, monsieur."

O'Rourke considered the envelope doubtfully. "From you, monsieur—from the Government of France, which you represent," he said at length, "yes; I will accept such a commission. France," he averred simply, "knows me; it wouldn't be asking me to do anything a gentleman shouldn't."

"You may feel assured of that," agreed Des Trebes gravely. "Indeed, I venture to assert you will find this—let us say—adventure much to your liking. . . . Then you accept?"

"One moment—a dozen questions, by your leave. . . . When must I start?"

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## SQUIRREL'S WONDERFUL LEAP

It is said that every species of tree squirrel seems capable of a sort of rudimentary flying, or at least of making itself into a parachute so as to break a fall.

One naturalist tells of an occasion when his dog treed a red squirrel in a tall hickory that stood on the side of a steep hill. To observe what the squirrel might do when closely pressed the investigator climbed the tree. The little fellow took refuge in the topmost branches, and then, as the naturalist approached, boldly leaped into the air, spread himself upon it, and, with a quick, tremulous motion of his tail and legs, descended quite slowly and landed upon the ground thirty feet below, apparently none the worse for the leap, for he ran with great speed and escaped up another tree.

A traveler in Mexico relates a still more striking instance of the power of squirrels, partly to neutralize the effect of the force of gravity when leaping through the air.

It appears that some boys had caught a black squirrel nearly as large as a cat. It had escaped from them once by leaping sixty feet from the top of a pine tree, and this had led some of the lads to declare that the creature was bewitched. To test the matter the boys wanted to throw the squirrel down a precipice several hundred feet deep.

The traveler intervened to obtain fair play for the squirrel. The prisoner was conveyed in a pillow case to the edge of the cliff, and then let out, that he might take the choice between captivity and the terrible leap.

The squirrel looked down the abyss, and then backward and sideways, his eyes glistening, his form crouching. Seeing no escape except in front, he took a flying leap into space, and fluttered, rather than fell into the abyss below. His legs began to work like those of a swimming poodle dog, but faster and faster, while his tail, slightly elevated, spread out like a feather fan.

He landed on a ledge of limestone, where he could be seen squatting on his hind legs and smoothing his ruffled fur, after which he made for the creek with a flourish of his tail, took a drink and scampered away.

## USE SALT ON ROADS

As a general rule the roads in and around French towns are tarred at the commencement of the summer in order to abate the dust nuisance. It has, however, been found that tar, although excellent in the case of macadamized roads, is of little or no value where car lines exist and paved street crossings intersect the roads in every direction, as tarring cannot be carried out on stones.

The authorities, basing their action on the well-known hygienic properties of common salt, have made a test of its value in laying the dust. Twenty yards of roadway have been sprinkled liberally with salt and then watered freely. If the results are satisfactory salt will be used throughout the town of Havre, it being impossible to tar the majority of the streets, as they are paved with rough stone blocks.

## FANTASTIC WORK OF NATURE



It would not be easy to guess correctly what the object is that is here pictured. In reality it is a piece of the root of a holly tree and was found growing in a granite quarry in Virginia. As photographed it is quite unchanged by man's hand.

## NATURE'S TIMEPIECE

There is no need for clocks on the Aegean sea any day when the sun is shining. There nature has arranged her only timepiece, one that does not vary through the centuries pass. This natural timekeeper is the largest sundial in the world. Projecting into the blue waters of the sea as a large promontory which lifts its head 3,000 feet above the waves. As the sun swings round, the pointed shadow of the mountain just touches one after the other, a number of small islands, which are at exact distances apart and act as hour marks on the great dial.

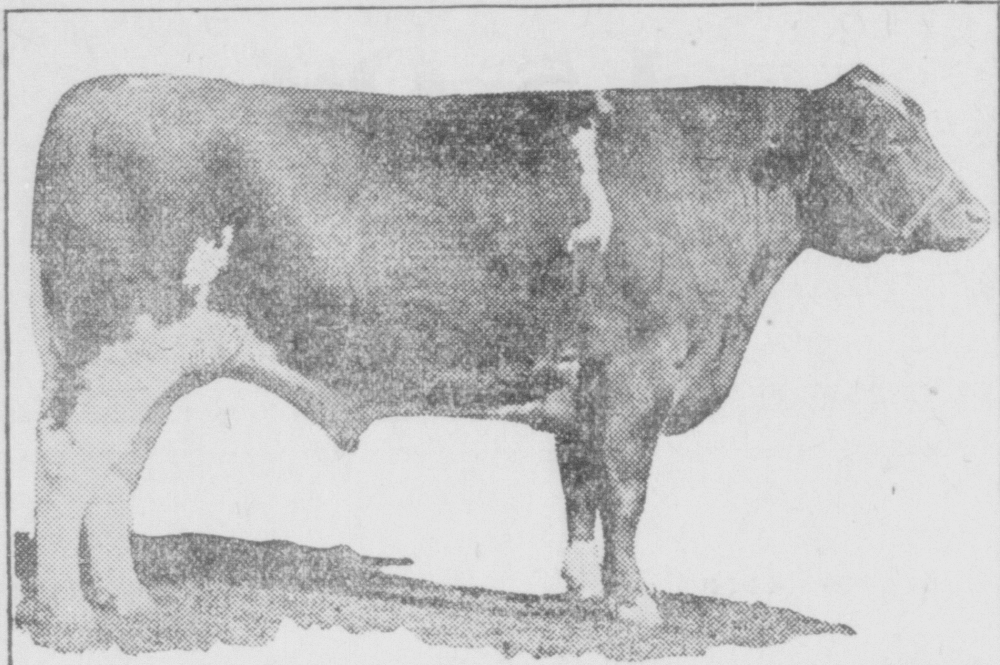
## MADE THE MOUSE WORK

The average mouse runs 10,000 meters a day, and certain energetic subjects have been known to run 29,000 meters in a period of 24 hours. With a view to the utilization of the power of mice, an inventor constructed a wire drum revolving on an axle. The power rendered by the mice ran a little flat spinning machine. The production of linen thread was four pounds for five days of mouse labor. The inventor of the machine died before perfecting his invention.



# Championship Steer for Short Course Work

Purdue University Agricultural Extension



"Benefactor"—Championship Steer Recently Acquired by Purdue University.

The Purdue University agricultural extension department is finding a distinct feature for their short course work among Indiana farmers this winter in their recent purchase of Benefactor, one of the most famous steers that America has known in many years.

This animal has been capturing the choicest awards of the various live stock exhibits of the country for the past three years, and promises to continue its supremacy during the coming seasons. Benefactor was recently purchased by the university for use at the Farmers' Short Courses, and is now being taken, in a private stock car, to all towns where the short courses are held.

The steer was bred in 1909 by Tomson Brothers, of Dover, Kansas, who are noted for their success in breeding high quality cattle. It was shown during the first two years by the Kansas Agricultural college, and as a calf it was proclaimed champion of the interstate show at St. Joseph, Mo. It also captured the championship as a shorthorn at the American Royal live stock show at Kansas City, and was

declared champion shorthorn at the International live stock exposition at Chicago.

As a yearling, under the control of the Kansas college, it took first prize as a shorthorn at the Interstate show at St. Joseph, and was declared champion, for the second time, at the American royal show. The international judges awarded it second prize during the same season.

This year Benefactor has been accorded the championship of the shorthorns at the American Royal show, held in October, and the title of "Grand Champion Steer" at the Iowa state fair.

The steer now weighs 1,700 pounds and is an excellent type of shorthorn cattle. He is especially smooth in flesh and is considered an especially good type of feeding cattle. Benefactor will also prove as good a subject as could be found for stock judging, and the students taking the animal husbandry work at the short courses are to be given an opportunity to score Benefactor among other animals to be taken for that purpose by the extensionists.

## Why Do Incubator Chicks Die?

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Now is the time to prepare for a season that is sure to arrive next spring, a season when thousands of incubator chicks will die before they are three weeks old. Why do these baby chicks die? This question is prevalent among most users of incubators today.

There are many causes of death among chicks. It may result from one or several of these causes in any particular case, the losses sometimes running as high as 100 per cent. There are two general classes of causes which result in the death of chicks; namely (1) specific organism as found in the contagious disease called "White Diarrhoea." (2) Conditions affecting the chick before or after hatching.

### White Diarrhoea.

Concerning the contagious disease commonly called "White Diarrhoea," Dr. G. B. Morse of the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry, and Dr. L. F. Rettger and Prof. F. H. Stoneburn of the Connecticut Experiment station, have published bulletins in which they state that this disease is contagious and should be treated as such, recommending the use of efficient disinfectants whenever the disease occurs.

### Prevention.

Seldom can a disease of poultry be profitably and effectively cured, but it can be prevented and when "White



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Diarrhoea" is fatal the incubator or parent stock should be inspected. Prevention is by far the best cure. Chicks that are "pasted up" behind, giving an appearance of "White Diarrhoea," may be affected with troubles due to improper brooding or feeding. When thus affected, the trouble should not be confused with the contagious disease.

### Sanitation the Best Preventive.

The following general plan can be recommended for preventing "White Diarrhoea." First, put the parent hens in the best physical condition by cleaning out the intestines. To do this give Epsom salts, one teaspoonful to each three adult hens, well mixed in a dry mixture of bran and shorts and afterwards moistened. On the day following the giving of Epsom salts, thoroughly disinfect the premises by scattering plenty of air slaked lime over roosts, hen house floor, and runways if possible. Confine the

### College Building Wrecked.

The tornado that swept over central Indiana recently demolished the seed and fertilizer building of the agricultural experiment station. The building was built about two years ago and the loss is estimated at \$10,000. In addition to the loss of this building, a large number of windows were destroyed in the station building, and two sheep sheds, used in housing the lambs for the experimental work, were completely blown away. The tornado was one of the most destructive that Indiana has ever experienced.

### To Broaden Their Views.

The Academy of Agricultural Science is a recent organization of Indiana experiment station men who meet bi-monthly to broaden their views of agricultural work. At the meetings a man from one of the various departments discusses some phase of the work in his department. During this discussion many questions are asked and the specialist in another department has his views broadened and is put in touch with the work of the station as a whole.

### Experiments in Clover.

Recent experiments at the Indiana experiment station show clover to be worth \$5 to \$8 per acre in increased crop yields when grown in rotation. Depending on the condition of the soil, a conservative estimate of growing a crop of clover in connection with corn and cereal crops would value the improvement due to clover at from \$5 to \$12 per acre.

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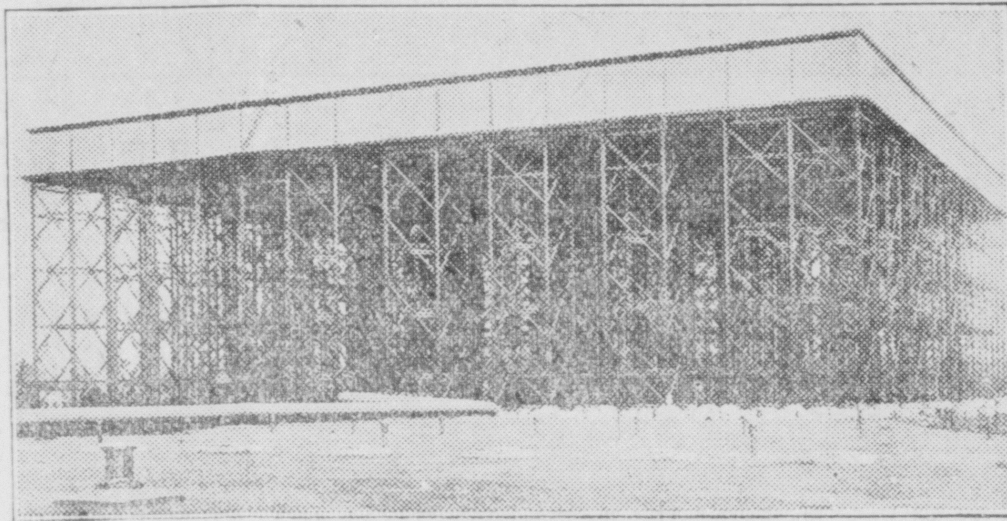
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## MADE SOME GRAVE BLUNDERS

Embezzling Banker Admits He Overlooked Missionary Fund and Property of Orphan Child.

The embezzling banker's friends were congratulating him. "How in the world did you keep it up so long without being discovered?" they asked, breathlessly.

"My friends," came an anguished voice from the other side of the bars, "I am unworthy of this laudation. I have been guilty of grave tactical blunders. I failed to have myself elected Sunday school superintendent, and I did not show myself at prayer meeting more than once a month. I could have landed a \$700 missionary fund, but heedlessly I allowed it to slip through my fingers and go to another."

"Besides, I might have become the guardian of some poor, dead millionaire's child. I am ill-deserving of your well-meant, but misdirected, praise. My work has been coarse and amateurish, indeed, or I could be free this evening to join you in our tri-weekly poker fest. Woe, woe is me!" And they left him weeping bitterly. —H. M. Silvers, in The Sunday Magazine.

## WARM REBUKE FOR SARCASM

Western Senator Who Made Many Enemies Was Given Good Advice by a Friend.

For many years there served in the United States senate, from the west, a man of brilliant mind and fine qualities, but who was forever estranging many with whom he desired to be friendly by reason of his incurably sarcastic manner both of speech and action.

Once an intimate friend wrote the senator urging the appointment of another friend to a minor position in the government. The senator returned a most sarcastic reply, declining to recommend the appointment. It is said that he never forgot the merited rebuke he received from the friend who had suggested the appointment.

"My Dear Senator: I think it would be well for you to reserve your sarcasm for the rapidly increasing number of your enemies, instead of offering it to the decreasing number of your friends, of whom I am one."

### Expensive Tree.

We do not think much of trees in the United States, and let several million acres of them burn without getting excited, but in England small forests, and even individual trees, are maintained at great expense. If there is not actually an outlay of money, the trees occupy land that could otherwise be profitably employed.

Probably the most noteworthy tree in the world, so far as expensiveness is concerned, is a plane tree which grows in Wood street, in the city of London. This tree occupies a lot which would bring in ground-rent to the amount of \$1,200 per annum. It says much for the nature-loving qualities, and, incidentally, for the fortune, of the owner of that lot that the ancient tree flourishes safely year after year.

## The Fun of Cookery

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"You don't mean that you really like to cook—that there is any enjoyment to be gotten out of preparing three meals a day and seeing to it that the cookie jar does not run dry?"

"Yes, that is exactly what I mean. I do like it. There is real pleasure, and plenty of it, to be found in cookery," I replied to my skeptical friend, "provided you look for it and know how to find it."

"But it is such an endless repetition, such a constant, monotonous grind, with nothing at the end but scraps and a tableful of dishes to be washed."

"That all depends on your point of view. To me it seems that it is possible to incorporate in the everyday work of cookery all of the elements of the best sort of a sport."

"In the first place, there are the foundation principles, the scientific background, which might be compared to the rules of the game. Every sport is organized according to some specific plan which must be observed. The test of ability comes in following the rules and in winning out on that basis. This is what gives initial interest to the game. The rules of the game of cookery are laid down by nature. She provided the materials, but the players must learn the laws governing their use and the laws which control the effects produced on such materials by the action of natural agencies—heat, cold, moisture. These laws are inexorable. She need never hope to win who seeks to circumvent them by short cuts. Surely as deep interest may attach to the study of these ways and methods as to the learning of the devious regulations of bridge whist."

"So, too, with all the other essential elements which enter into a good game. Competition will add zest, but this need not necessarily be with others. It is always possible to score against the Colonel, in cooking as well as in golf."

"Dexterity, alertness, ability to respond effectively to a sudden change of situation, are some of the valuable lessons to be acquired from tennis. Where can these qualities be more effectively developed than in learning to wield the egg beater, to determine the arrival of the critical moment for removing the cake from the oven, or to concoct an appetizing supper dish when the larder is depleted and the grocery order has gone wrong?"

"And what can equal the satisfaction felt in winning in the game of cookery? This, after all, is the real test of the value of any sport. Is it worth while? We say that we play the game for its own sake. But we don't. There must be something at the end. Our interest is measured by the degree of our success."

"And success in cookery means not only the acquirement of interest in one's work, of quickness, or responsiveness and of manual dexterity. It means more. Good health, good temper, right living, and all these for others, as well as for oneself. The best of sport can offer nothing more satisfying."

"But just as a good game is spoiled by too much science, too much seriousness, if you will, so good cookery may be made a burden by too literal an insistence upon the rules. Play fair, by all means, but take pleasure in the game as you go along."

"We have all been endowed with more or less of the priceless gift of imagination. Put it to use in cookery by developing new dishes or new combinations of old ones. Vary the everyday menus. Be on the lookout for new ideas, both in recipes and in methods of work. Don't be afraid to depart from the old conventions."

"Who does not enjoy a campfire dinner—the frizzled bacon, liberally sprinkled, it may be, with ashes, the baked-in-the-fire potatoes, charred to blackness on the outside, and the roasted eggs, with a flavor never possessed by a stove-cooked egg? Isn't the secret of our pleasure found chiefly in the fact that the process of cooking has been an interesting one? Every one has taken a hand and we have had a good time doing it?"

"Let's try putting more fun into our cookery and see if it does not make obsolete the phrase 'the drudgery of housework.'"

### Food for Calves.

Feed the calf lightly until it is five to seven weeks old, giving not over ten to twelve pounds of milk daily. Later, the amount may be increased to 14 or 16 pounds, and at three months may, though not always, go to about twenty pounds. The amount fed, however, must be carefully regulated by the ability of the calf to brood it without scouring.

### Respect Due to Rank.

Alice Wenban is a cliff dweller and, as such, accustomed to the whereabouts of the lordly janitor by whose kind permission her people live and have their being.

Right across the street they are building another apartment, an activity which greatly interests the young lady. She spends many hours in the contemplation of the job. The excavation filled her with breathless interest. The foundation proved even more exciting. And now, that the building is in a fair state of progress, she is quite beside herself.

And she wants to know you know. "Mother," she asked when the bricklayers began on the ground floor work, "they've built the janitor's house first. Isn't that funny?"—Cleveland Leader.

WANT ADS BRING RESULTS.

## Daily Markets

### Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.

Wheat—Wagon, 94c; No. 2 red, 93 1/4c. Corn—No. 2, 62c. Oats—No. 3 white, 48 1/4c. Hay—Baled, \$20.00 @ 22.00; timothy, \$23.00 @ 25.00; mixed, \$21.00 @ 23.00. Cattle—\$3.00 @ 8.50. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 6.50. Sheep—\$2.00 @ 3.10. Lambs—\$3.00 @ 5.50. Receipts—5,000 hogs; 850 cattle; 600 sheep.

### At Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 98c. Corn—No. 2, 65c. Oats—No. 2, 49c. Cattle—\$3.25 @ 7.00. Hogs—\$3.50 @ 6.40. Sheep—\$1.25 @ 4.30. Lambs—\$3.00 @ 5.50.

### At Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 96 1/4c. Corn—No. 2, 70c. Oats—No. 2, 48 1/4c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.00 @ 8.90; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 @ 5.80. Hogs—\$6.00 @ 6.40. Sheep—\$2.25 @ 4.40. Lambs—\$3.50 @ 6.35.

### At St. Louis.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 96 1/4c. Corn—No. 2, 62 1/4c. Oats—No. 2, 47 1/4c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.00 @ 9.25. Hogs—\$4.00 @ 6.40. Sheep—\$2.25 @ 4.00. Lambs—\$4.25 @ 6.25.

Theo. H. Reed & Son are paying the following prices for grain—today, December 27, 1911:

Wheat ..... 90c  
Corn ..... 52c  
Oats ..... 42c  
Timothy Seed ..... \$6.00 to \$7.00  
Clover Seed ..... \$10.00 to \$11.00

The following are the ruling prices of the Rushville market, corrected to date—December 27, 1911:

### POULTRY.

Hens on foot, per pound ..... 7c  
Turkeys ..... 12c  
Ducks ..... 7c  
Geese, per pound ..... 7c  
Chickens ..... 7c

### PRODUCE.

Eggs per dozen ..... 32c  
Butter, country, per pound ..... 18c

## Want Ad Department

Advertisements under this head are charged for at the rate of one-third cent per word for each insertion. The same ad will be placed in the Indianapolis Star and Daily Republican at the combined rate of one cent per word. Found articles of small value will be advertised free of charge.

FOR RENT—Two modern houses, S. L. Trabue. 245tf

FOR SALE—Modern 8 room house, at a bargain. See Frank Thompson. Phone 1526. 224tf

FOR SALE—Coal \$4.00 per ton. All orders promptly filled. Phone 1584 L. Hankins. 247tf

WANTED—a position by young lady bookkeeper and stenographer with five years' experience. Can give best of reference. P. T., 234 S. Tompkins St., Shelbyville, Ind. 247tf

FOR SALE—Gas range with high oven and broiler. Cheap if sold at once. 309 E. Third. 241tf

FOR SALE—Ready made hog houses standard size. Cheaper than you can build them. Pinnell & Tompkins. Phone 1031. 218tf

GIRLS WANTED—Over 18 years of age. Rushville Steam Laundry. 236tf

MEN AND WOMEN, sell guaranteed hose, 70 per cent. profit. Make \$10 daily. Full or part time. Beginners investigate. Wear Proof, 3038 Chesnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 247148.

FOR SALE—a fine farm containing 211 acres; will be sold cheap if taken soon; has living spring and good stream of water; 500 rods new wire fence; two houses and two barns, one mile apart, which make it easy to divide in two places, known as Thomas H. Pond farm, one mile north of Andersonville. Call on or address Ida Pond, New Salem. Or John D. McGee, Rushville, Ind. 43tf

WANTED—a girl for general housework. No washing or ironing. Mrs. J. H. Kiplinger, 832 N. Main. 234tf

JOB WORK—any kind, sewer and ditching done. L. E. Kinsley. Phone 3139. 244tf

DONT BUY GAS FIXTURES—Until you see display at Hargrove & Mullin. 164tf

FOR SALE—Boy's suit of 10 years. Good as new. Cheap. Phone 3228. 207tf

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished rooms with bath. 332 North Morgan. Phone 1071. 242tf

LOST—A package in Rushville containing a boys grey Jersey and a brown pair of Misses kid gloves. finder please leave at Guffin's dry goods store or call Mrs. Elsworth Kiser, through Occident. 247tf

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## MONUMENTS

MONTELLO RED AND MILLSTONE GRAY GRANITES

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## DEMOCRATS IN MEETINGS TODAY

Thirteen Delegates Are Chosen to Vote in Sixth District Convention in Connersville Friday.

CHAIRMAN WILL BE ELECTED

Charles Hack of Shelby Seems to Lead Other Three Candidates in Race.

This afternoon at two o'clock the Democrats of Rush county met to select delegates to the Democratic Sixth district convention which will be held Friday. At that time a district chairman and representative of the district on the State committee will be chosen.

The meeting in this city was largely attended and a heavy vote was cast. The delegates from Rushville township are Charles Markle and City Clerk Thomas Cauley. Mayor Black and O. C. Norris, receiving the next highest votes, are the alternates. The vote was as follows: Cauley 57, Markle 52, Black 48, Norris 47, J. A. Hill 34, and Frank Megee 32.

The Connersville convention promises to be a lively affair. There are at least four avowed candidates for the honor. They are Charles Beck of Richmond, Dr. F. A. Bosler of New Castle, Herman Trichler of Franklin county, and Charles Hack of Shelby county, former prosecutor of the Rush-Shelby judicial district.

Mr. Hack was the last of the list of candidates to enter the arena and it appears that he has about the best chance for election. He has been visiting the counties in the district during the last few weeks and he seems assured of victory. It is reported that the majority of the Rush county delegates to the convention will vote for Mr. Hack.

The Shelbyville Democrat says: "Shelby county will present the name of Charles A. Hack for district chairman. Mr. Hack has received much encouragement over the district, and his chances for election are exceedingly flattering. It means a great deal to the Shelby county democracy if Mr. Hack is chosen."

There will be one hundred and eighteen votes cast for district chairman at the meeting in Connersville on Friday. Of this number thirteen will come from Rush county. Each township in the county was entitled to one delegate with the exception of Rushville township which will send two. The basis of representation is one delegate for every one hundred votes and for each fraction of more than one hundred votes cast for Thomas R. Marshall for governor in 1908.

The places of meeting in each township this afternoon and the number of delegates elected are as follows:

Anderson township, Milroy.....	1
Center township school house.....	1
Jackson, Kennings school house.....	1
Noble, New Salem.....	1
Orange, Moscow.....	1
Posey, Arlington.....	1
Richland, Butler school house.....	1
Ripley, Carthage.....	1
Rushville, Hendricks club room.....	2
Union, Stringtown school house.....	1
Walker, Homer school house.....	1
Washington, Raleigh.....	1

LOST—A white dog with yellow ears. Will answer by name Baby. Finder please return to T. E. McAllister, 235 W. First. 24814

## TO RUN CHARITY LIKE A BUSINESS

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the desired end.

The women who are back of the new movement have for many years been members of the Rush County Board of Childrens' Guardians and managers of the industrial school which has been conducted in the Pearl Street church for years. They represent the two agencies through which the needs of the poor are easily and accurately obtained.

These women have a record of which the city of Rushville itself may be justly proud. They have worked industriously and zealously to the end that there be no needy families in Rushville. The best part about their giving has been the care and precision with which they have worked. They have investigated every application made for assistance and they aid only where they believe it worthy and where there is a cause for poverty.

They in themselves have been the guardian angels of the indigent and poverty stricken people of Rushville for the last seven years. There are numerous cases which might be recited in which they have saved the eyesight, hearing, or possibly life of many school children. They have learned of cases where expert treatment was needed and they have not spared expense to see it procured. It is very likely that they have made it possible for any number of children to achieve success in life in future years, children who would have been hampered by bodily ailments in the beginning and would have worked under such great odds that they would have given up in despair.

They have not confined their work to children alone. There are any number of cases in which these several women have done most remarkable work among old and indigent men and women. They have worked wonders in all sections of the city and they have many friends in these sections of the city who will stand by them to the last.

This crowd of women began its work seven years ago. The first achievement was the formation of what was known as the girls industrial school. The school met every Saturday afternoon at the South Pearl street church and there the girls were taught to sew and do many things that they will find useful to them in after life.

The industrial school was such a success that they decided to enlarge their activities which they did. Working in that section of the city they heard of other poverty cases and they sought to help the needy persons. They were confronted the very first thing with the sorry condition of their funds. When they made their wants known many Rushville men came to their rescue and donated large amounts for them to carry on the work.

They continued to enlarge the scope of their work and with the enlargement came the pressing need for more money. They tired of asking individuals for contributions and four years ago a charity ball to help the cause was suggested. It was carried through and was crowned with more than unexpected success. The second annual one was more of a success, but last year none was given because no suitable place in which to hold it could be found. But this year the charity ball will be held in a building of great proportions which will accommodate an almost unlimited crowd for this city and it promises to bring in much more money for the use of the local charity workers to promote their good cause.

## FARMERS HARSH WITH HUNTERS

Watch Nimrods Closely and Many Place Land in Large Game Preserves.

SEASON WILL CLOSE SOON

Farmers in all parts of this State have been unusually harsh with the would-be hunters this year, according to news which the State game and fish commissioners has received. Many of the have converted their farms into private game preserves and forbidden hunters to enter on any preserve.

State Commissioner Miles believes that such a system works well for a few years, but he likewise believes that it is a good thing to have a few quail from each covey killed each year. By that method the commissioner believes the breed of the covey is strengthened on the same supposition that provides for the killing of a certain number of chickens in each flock every year.

The quail this year are fat and are particularly tender. That condition is explained by sportsmen with the theory that the lack of heavy snowfall has made feed for the birds easy to find and plentiful. Hundreds of sportsmen throughout the State are spending a vacation in the fields during the holiday season, as the quail season closes December 31.

NATURALLY



Mrs. Wickson—Do you believe in "The Descent of Man?"  
Mrs. Dickson—Oh! yes. My husband is a parachute jumper.

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are in evidence now throughout our Ready-to-Wear Department. If you received cash as one of your presents on Christmas day, this is your chance to test its purchasing power. It will go further now than for many a day. To push these goods out before inventory, we have made big price concessions on all

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